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EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
EXAMINING GROUP 1652

PATENT  
1380-0122P

IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Vincent G.H. EIJSINK et al. Conf.: 2387  
 Appl. No.: 09/068,507 Group: 1652  
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 For: EXPRESSION SYSTEM IN MICROORGANISM AND ITS  
 USE FOR EXPRESSING HETEROLOGOUS AND  
 HOMOLOGOUS PROTEINS

SMALL ENTITY TRANSMITTAL FORM  
FOR REPLY AFTER FINAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

May 30, 2003

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- Applicant claims small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.
- The enclosed document is being transmitted via the Certificate of Mailing provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.8.
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	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR			PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL	57	-	64	=	0	\$ 9	\$0.00
INDEPENDENT	4	-	10	=	0	\$ 42	\$0.00
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- Petition for two (2) month(s) extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.17 and 1.136(a) in an accompanying Notice of Appeal. \$205.00 for the extension of time was paid therewith.
- No fee is required.
- Checks in the amount of \$205.00 are enclosed.
- Please charge Deposit Account No. 02-2448 in the amount of \$0.00. This form is submitted in triplicate.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 or 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

Respectfully submitted,

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